## PRESIDENT REBUFFS **GERMAN INVITATION**

Says No True American Would Think of Visiting Ger-

Pants, Dec. 10.-According to vireless despatch from the U. S. 8. George Washington, says Marce Hutin in the Echo de Paris, President Wilson has been informed that Premier Ebert and Foreign Secretary Hause of the Berlin Government and Premier Eisner of Bavaria were about to make an effort to get him to visit rmany. The President is quoted as having made this reply:

"Only by long years of repentance can Germany atone for her crimes and could think of visiting Germany un-less forced to do so by strictly of-ficial obligations.

"That is to say I decline in advance to consider any suggestion of the

Stephen Pichon, Foreign Minister; Georges Leygues, Minister of Marine; Capt. Andre Tardieu, head of the Pranco-American General Commismion for War Matters; Armond E. Gauthier, former Minister of Marine; Gen. Pershing, Col. House and a number of Americans associated in the work of the American Peace Commis will leave Parte Thursday night at 10 o'clock for Brest to meet Presi-

Mr. Wilson's ship, the George Wash ington, will enter the roads at Brest early in the afternoon, escorted by American and allied warships. The ce to extend greetings. The Presi-nt will land at 3 o'clock. An hour later his train will leave for Paris. It will arrive here at 10 o'clock and be of any kind and none is expected. met by President Poincare, Premier The President will be taken to arrived. the Elysee Palace, where luncheon will be served. On Monday afternoon Mr. Wilson will be accorded a solemn re-

plan to begin the peace conference De-

### WAR BOARD FAVORS STEEL MEN'S PLANS

Likely to Agree to Institute's Suggested Reductions.

Special Desputch to THE SUN. WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.-Retention of

the fixed prices of the Government on pig iron and steel for an indefimite period, but with slight reductions from the present scale, will be disassed by the committee of the American Iron and Steel Institute with by German troops. One coach carried Micials of the War Industries Board here to-morrow. The position of the steel men was outlined in THE SUN'S report to-day of Judge Gary's address Fred Hackett second in command. In the American commission to the institute.

Officials of the War Industries sce basis. The shortage in labor trains arrive. and the indications that the release of the soldiers will continue over a of the Coblens ends of the Rhine has caused a change in these plans.

An inclination was expressed by the Molais to-day to continue the fixed price scale on both pig iron and steel dustries. Industrial conditions are regarded as in a satisfactory state with accommodate 100,000 men. exception of the shortage of labor and it is believed the continuation of fixed prices, even for a short period will serve to stabilize conditions of emyment and production until complete reconversion has been accom-

## TRAINS ON NORMAL BASIS.

Resumption of Pre-War Schedule Ordered by McAdoo.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10 .- Directoreneral of Railroads McAdoo to-day lifted the ban against unnecessary passenger travelling in the United after the Government took control of the railroads. Additional facilities are to be offered

immediately, it was announced, though trains that were run under private control purely for competitive reasons will not be reestablished. The general eme for increased facilities is substantially as outlined several days ago.

2,600 U. S. PRISONERS FREED. Last of Americans to Be Liberated

This Week. By the Associated Press.

Bestan, Dec. 9 (delayed) .- Twentysix hundred American prisoners of war interned at Camp Rastatt left there yesterday and to-day for Switzerland. Two hundred other Americans who have been scattered in various camps in Germany are leaving Germany by way of Holland and Den-

It is expected that the last of the Americans will be out of German camps by the middle of this week.

### U. S. NAVAL LOSSES **TOTAL 44 VESSELS**

Only Three Warships Torpedoed by Germans.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10 .- Only fortyfour vessels of the navy, including army and cargo transports manned by naval crews, were lost from the decla ration of war, April 6, 1917, until hostilities ceased, November 11. Only twelve of these were destroyed by en-

This is revealed by an appendix to the annual report of Secretary Dantels, made public to-day. Only three of the twelve ships torpedoed were war graft, the destroyer Jacob Jones, sunk mans then believed would be certain December 6, 1917, with a loss of 62 constguard cutter Tampa, sunk September 6, 1918, with tons of 112 lives, and the armed yacht

Alcedo, which carried down 20 men. Naval casualties in the enlisted per- appears to have influenced them in sonnel from April 6, 1917, to last No- their attitude toward the Americans. vember 15 were 1.121, including 55 men. When the American troops went to the of the United States steamship Scor- barracks just evacuated by the Ger-

prisoners, 8; unaccounted for, 3, and in washed and refilled with fresh hay. sepital, condition unknown, 10.

## and will turn northward on the last COBLENZ OCCUPIED BY THE AMERICANS

German Troops, Decked With Flowers, Retire Before Victorious Armies.

YANKS WARMLY GREETED

Civil Population, Including School Children, Turn Out to Welcome Soldiers.

By the Associated Press.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY OF OCCUshow sincerity. No true American PATION, Dec. 8 (delayed) .- Coblenz tonight is under the complete military control of the Americans, with the municipal authorities cooperating.

At the Coblenz end of the three bridges across the Rhine American sentries were posted during the evening. In the afternoon the American forces took c arge of the barracks and other buildings evacuated this morning by the German troops,

The American forces comprised the Second Battalien of the Thirty-ninth Infantry which arrived here this afternoon in answer to a request from the German authorities. The reception of the Americans was most friendly.

Friendly Spirit Manifested.

The Americans marched direct from e train which brought them from Treves to the various arzenals, barming party will go on board at racks and storehouses where they established guards.

The last German troops left Coblenz this morning. There was no trouble enceau and a large official delega- better now that the Americans had

The friendly spirit with which the civilians of Coblens greeted the Americans began to evidence itself in the villages along the railroad over which the Americans came to Coblenz. At many places Sunday crowds of children cheered and waved their hands s the Americans passed. The spirit displayed became more friendly as the

Americans approached Coblenz. When the Americans arrived and detrained in an outlying section of the city they were met by a large crowd, including municipal officials. Among the others walting to see the Americans were two professors with all the pupils of a boys' school.

#### Carry Emergency Rations.

The train which transported the Americans to Coblenz was manned by a German crew, the American goldiers occupying coaches formerly used newspaper correspondents.

The battalion is commanded by Lieut.-Col. James Lockett, with Major Board have expected to be able to ing emergency rations, and additional jects which the Americans have dis-abandon fixed prices January 1 and food supplies were brought by the cussed with the Mayor. permit the steel mills to return to s train to tide the men over until ration

much longer period than was expected, bridges German soldiers were doing stitutions or the manner of life of the sentry duty on the opposite ends. To-night the American sentries along the arise when they please, and permission Rhine could see the lights of the is even given to those whose business fortress of Ehrenbreitstein, which requires it to cross and recross the stands on a rocky promontory 400 feet. Rhine at will. for as long a time as seems advisable stands on a rocky promontory 400 feet for the best interests and the rapid reabove the river, where several regihabilitation of factories and other inments of German soldiers are still quarpatch describing the passage of the as she steamed out of the quay was a

ever one might as well talk of the above the river, where several regitered. It is said that the fortress can Forty-second American Division to- British machine gun so piaced as to ever, one might as well talk of the

## Found Cordiel Cooperation.

With the arrival of the Americans a company of engineers was prepared to throw a temporary bridge across full liberty of publication. the Rhine. There were, however, al bridges spanning stream-two here one in the north and another to the south.

Col. James Rhes of Texas, head of

the American commission, has been dealing for four days with the local authorities on questions incident to the taking over of the bridgehead. Instead of antagonism or even passive acquiesence he encountered lively co operation. The Mayor of Coblene issued a proclamation in which he requested the inhabitants to refrain from all acts of discourtesy or violence and to accord the Americans such assistance as was possible. It plemented by one from the military mmandant, that the Americans are

here to-day. A local committee was appointed to assist the Americans in assuming con-trol, and officers of the German army land remained behind after the last of stores of supplies.

Col. Clarence Sherrill of Greensboro, manufacture enough apparatus for N. C.; Col. George Spaulding of supplying the new demands in a fash-Sweetwaters, Mich., and Col. Henry M. ton White of Kentucky.

## German Retreat a Festival.

While the Americans were marching few years. into the city to-day the last division of the German army was only a few of militarism," says the newspaper, dlometers beyond the Rhine, moving in orderly fashion, with the spirit the public that the next war will be of a holiday rather than that of a won in the air." defeated army. Almost every man had a rosette or a sprig of green in his Many of the trucks and wagons had on top of them quantities of

Christmas greens. Lieut, Heinrich Prince, one of the commissioners detailed by the Germans to deal with the Americans, was the officer who transmitted to Major Whittlesey the German demand to vised the large purchases in Europe for surrender when Whittlesey was com- the American Expeditionary Forces. manding the famous "Lost Battalion" in the Argonne Forest.

In talking with officers of the Sev. enty-seventh Division to-day Lieut. Prince said his comrades and superior officers had the highest admiration for the Americans in that fight. The only motive for demanding the surrender of the "Lost Battalion" was to save the Americans from what the Gerannihilation.

## Germans Left Clean Barracks.

The comparatively light yoke the pion, interned at Constantinople. The mans they found they had been summary shows: Dead, \$93; injured, 130; missing, 22; that the mattress coverings had been Formal delivery of stores has not yet in the head. There is the head.

# To MARITIME SHIPPING INTERESTS

TO avoid duplication of effort, we call attention to the designation of Mr. R. A. C. Smith as Chairman of the Steamship Shipping and Import and Export trades divisions in the campaign for memberships in the Red Cross Christmas Roll Call. His headquarters are—100 Broadway. His telephone number-Rector 1185.

Any one who will help facilitate the organization of this division of the commercial interests of the city may secure the official blank forms by applying to the above.

#### ered a map to Col. Rhea showing the location of great quantities of ammuni tion, guns and general stores. Both in Coblens and in the fortress across the river it is estimated that more than 500 trucks will be given up. The total value of the property to be de

ions of dollars. Here, as at Treves, the Americans are dealing with the defacto authori-ties. The workmen's council is main-taining a commission, but the officers the Americans found were those who long had been functioning, and the Americans are leaving to them the

problem of arranging their own af-fairs in the new party's council. An indication, however, that the determination not to treat with the council will not cause any trouble, for Fred Hackett second in command. In the American commission is the re-addition to their rifles and ammunition ceipt of various messages signed by the soldiers carried a full pack contain- Mathias Erzberger dealing with sub-

### Freedom for Civil Population.

The Americans have not attempted to interfere in any way with local in-

courteous. They only demanded the surrender of arms, not otherwise interfering with the citi-

### URGES GERMANY TO ARM FOR NEXT WAR

Newspaper Says Making of Planes Should Continue.

Special Cable Despatch to Tan Sun.

Pasis. Dec. 10.-The Germans already are thinking and talking of the this morning says that certain German airplane factories had decided to was due to the Mayor's request, sun- transform their plants for the manufacture of furniture, but the Badische calls public attention to the imprudence, in brusque terms, of action so

land. It declares the great airplane factheir men had marched out in order to deliver to the Americans great machines to make up, first of all, the loss of those now being delivered to The officers with Col. Rhea are the Allies and then must continue to will insure that Germany shall remain in possession of a sufficient number of airplanes to meet all dangers likely to arise in the next

"We are not preaching the gospel "but we consider it a duty to remind

## STETTINIUS COMING HOME.

Will Discuss Disposal of A. E. P. Property in France.

Pagis, Dec. 10.-Edward R. Stettin ius, representative of the United States War Department, who superwill sail Saturday for America. After conferring with Secretary Baker at Washington, Mr. Stettinius will re-

turn here in the middle of January. Mr. Stettinius is going back to the United States to discuss plans for the liquidation of the business of the American Expeditionary Force and for disposing of its property on the most advantageous terms possible. Immediately following the signing

of the armistice orders were given suspending the construction of buildings docks, trackage, &c., and November 14 specific orders were issued disconting uing practically all projects of construction, suspending all purchases and directing the cancellation of purchase orders and contracts so far as possible.

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## COLOGNE CALM AS BRITISHERS ENTER

livered perhaps will run well into mill-People Go Their Accustomed Way and Are Curious, but Not Hostile.

> By PERRY ROBINSON. Special Wireless Desputed to THE SON from

Copyright, 1918; all rights reserved. COLOGNE, Dec. 9 (delayed) .- We have

from the great iron suspension bridge randum for the War Cabinet in Cologne to a point where on the further side a British sentry of the paces back.

Below Cologne as I reached the riverside a paddiewheel river steamship of the Dusseldorff-Colorne-Cobleng line was putting out in the stream and was crowded with her customary freight and civilian rassengers. Rhenish newpapers contain a des- Within twenty yards of the boat's side time and that to none has that

side. At present a stranger might come and go through the city and not be dom of the land. The newspapers are enjoying made aware of anything unusual afoot. as a hostage for us.

## Gun Litters Street.

Just in front of the bronze statue of long six inch gun tipped on its side les in the street. Otherwise Cologne is more civilian than ever because no German officers in uniform are in the streets. Though a certain amount of field gray uniforms is seen in the next war. A despatch from Zurich crowd of worn and disbanded soldiers every man has taken off his military buttons and other badges of his regiment and service.

The streets of Cologne are thronged as ever, the shops are brilliant and Landzeitung takes them to task and luxurious to look at. So far one is spared the eternal hat raising, though that in time it is feared will come. Recent disorders which have caused

he hurrying of this small detachment of British troops here in response to the urgent invitation before the appointed time were not serious. tween two or three weeks ago there were a few days of chaos while the revolutionary movement was being effected.

## Soldiers Cause Trouble.

It is mid this has been all done by Workmen's councils who came to Hamburg. They disarmed a whole garrison, took off the officers' badges. commandeered motor cars, helped themselves to food and supplies, and generally assumed a disorderly trol of the city's affairs under the red

Now order is being kept by a town guard of disbanded soldiers in civilian frees with a white armiet.

The city remained fairly peaceful except for the usual pillaging and requisitioning by revolutionary soldiers, until Tuesday when a mob of a few hundred hooligans, who do not seem to have been soldiers, but of the lower elements of the normal population of the town, consisting chiefly of youths of 17 or 18, started rioting and plun-

The town guard was fairly well able to handle them and drive them from one depot after another, which they tried to loot, before they could stea! more than a few tubs of butter in one place and a quantity of stores in an-Then they pillaged a known Jewish ready made clothing store in order presumably to get auits for ex-soldiers.

Various clashes occurred between the mob and the town guard, while the former was being driven from place to There was a great deal of promiscuous shooting and casualties resulted, but it is difficult to get accurate figures, for the number of killed was put to-day as low as six and as high as fifty. Since our men came there have been no more dis-

## **AMERICAN HALTS CLASH IN DALMATIA**

Prevents Armed Conflict at Cattaro After Italians Land Troops.

LATTER ACTS AS MASTER

Demand National Flag Be Lowered-Geddes Doubts This Is Last War.

London, Dec. 10 .- The Manchester action of Italy on the Adriatic coast." The newspaper's informant continues: tention.

"Ten days ago, though perfect quiet tion of Cettinje, the Italians insisted rested. on landing 2,000 troops at Cattaro, in Dalmatla. Happily to counterbalance SAYS HAASE AIDED this the Allies secured the presence of an equal number of troops, including Fren h and American soldiers.

American Commander Intervenes. "The Italians, however, showed signs

of behaving as masters and proceeded to demand the lowering of the national flag. An armed conflict was avoided owing to the active intervention of the American commander. The national flags and emblems remain in position." In concluding peace the Allies must not make the same mistake that Ger-many made in connection with Al-sace-Lorraine in 1871 Premier Lloyd George said in the course of the address he made to the meeting of women in Albert Hall yesterday. The peace must be just, he declared, "because justice breeds justice and commands acceptance, while vengeance stire up wrath and breeds vengeance."

The Premier contended that the eace must be a stern one, however, ecause it must have the sternness of justice as well as the equity of The Premier reaffirmed his declara-

tion that the Germans in the United Kingdom should be expelled from it because they had abused its hospi-tality and should not get another chance. One of the gravest problems at the conference will be based on what is meant by "freedom of the seas" and what concessions Great sian methods into Germany.

Attorney-General, in a speech at Liverpool yesterday. He added that rossed the Rhine. To-day I walked he was engaged in preparing a memo-"America has rendered brilliant ser-Frederick said, "and Great Britain is Hussars paces till he meets a German bound to approach the conference with sentry, then swings on his heels and a determination to concede everything possible to American sentiment and

American views, having regard for na-

tional security and existence of the

Britain is going to make in that di-

rection, said Sir Frederick E. Smith.

No Freer Than Land in War. reas are freer to every one in peace ward Coblenz. It says the Americans be able to keep a line on the water freedom of the land as the freedom of France or Serbia talking about free

If he reached Newmarket he would cive and primeval forces assert themsee the hundred German ammunition selves and the region of law is abanwagons and gun carriages parked there doned for the assertion of naval and military forces. Belligerents during the war had a right to carry on war. Noutrals had a right to carry on trade But if there was a collision between the Emperor Frederick William III. a long six inch gun tipeed on its side upon the enemy and the right of neutrais to carry on trade, the subordinate right of the neutrals had to give way to the imperious primary right of the

belligerent. "It has been recognized for more than three centuries that a nation which is supreme is as much entitled to impose its will maritimely on inferior enemies by blockade as a nation stronger on land is able to impose its will militarily on a weaker nation.

"I am not sure that Great Britain will not have to say to the Allies at the pease conference. 'We shall be quite satisfied with such a definition of freedom of the sens as will enable the British navy in the unfortunate event of future wars to do exactly what the British navy, aided! by the American navy, has been doing for the last eighteen months."

Senator Poindexter Wants Investi-

Washington, Dec. 10 .- Investigation of the Army Ordnance and Quartermaster Departments would be authorized under a resolution introduced today by Senator Poindexter (Washingtraitors been executed at the start of it learns from a reliable source that reports of the Fish and Game Com the war lives of many better men the Entente Powers will refuse to mission at the State House to-day. would have been saved."

He said his resolution was based on published report that only 3,000,000 three inch shells, insufficient to last a month, had been shipped abroad. The committee would be authorized to report to the Senate any failure to produce adequate supplies and the name of the office responsible, and particularly if agents of the German

Government were in any way responsible for failure. The resolution was referred to the Military Committee.

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# SCHEIDEMANN FEARS **GERMAN RADICALS**

Continued from First Page.

further attacks upon Herr Barth and the crowd had responded by more shouting the demonstrators dispersed. A dramatic sequel to Friday's attempted arrest of the executive committee of the Soldlers' and Workmen's Council occurred to-day when the Hotel Bristol, one of the more fashionable places on Unter Den Linden, was raided by order of the Ebert-Haase

All exits of the hotel were guarded by troops and the premises were rearched on the strength of rumors that plotters were concealed there. In one of the large apartments the raiders found twenty-two men suspected Guardian says it has received from a with complicity in Friday's raid well informed allied source the state- Among them were Baron Rheinbaben ment t'at "another very serious inci- former Prussian Minister of Finance dent has been provoked by the forward and the younger Prince Hohenlohe. A number of students were found in the room. The entire party is under de-

Three hundred guns which were reigned in that district and Serbian found in an adjining chamber were contingents from Gen. Franchet d'Es- seized. Count Matuschka, one of those percy's army already were in occupa- day's disorders, has not yet been ar-

# **BOLSHEVIK CAMPAIGN**

Joffe, Russian Envoy, Admits Propaganda He Denied.

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 10 .- Adolph Joffe. ormer Ambassador to Germany of the Russian Bolshevik Government, who when recently accused of circulating seditious literature in Germany denied it, not only admits it now in a telegram received here, but glories in the achievement. He declares the litera-ture was circulated "through the good offices of the Independent Socialists. and makes the further declaration that a number of weapons were handed over to Herr Barth, secretary of the Independent Social Democratic party Instead of receiving 105,000 marks

for the purchase of arms, Joffe says he received "several hundred thousand marks," and adds: "I claim for myself the honor having devoted all my powers to the success of the German revolution throughout my activities, which were carried on in agreement with the

Independent Socialist Ministers, Haase, Barth and others." It is known in Berlin that Haase Barth, Ledebour and other independ ents were friendly with Joffe, but this telegram gives the first disclosure that they actively headed the Bolshevik Ambassador's plan to introduce Rus-

pendents' sympathy with Bolshevik methods is reported by Adolph Hoffmann, one of the independent leaders, who in a speech on Sunday, after declaring his opposition to a Constituent Assembly, said:
"If the elections do not give the Socialists a majority the National

A further illustration of the inde

Assembly must be dispersed and a dictator hip of the proletariat must be ostablished." Hoffmann, although a professed atheist and unlettered, is Minister o Education in Prussia, which post has

## "Americans must remember that the VIENNA FEARS RIOTS UNLESS FOOD COMES

Neutral Ministers Ask Coal

urisdiction over the churches.

By the Associated Press VIENNA, Dec. 9 (delayed),-The coal and food situation daily is growing declared they have proof that the Gerthreatened with a coal and food famine such as is being experienced at no ration for a proposed economic invasion other point in the Empire. authorities here feel that disorders are tory. bound to follow unless the Allies im mediately provide food and troops particularly Anglo-American troops. Circulars are being distributed among the poor and the workers by soldiers from the front, who are sai to have in their possession 100,000 and many machine guns and who declare that unless food arrives by Sunday they will feel at liberty to

go and find food where they can. The seriousness of the situation was indicated at a meeting of all the neu-rich Stroebel said: tral Ministers and the Papal Nuncio. explained the situation to them, informed their respective Governments

and Pope Benedict. The Ministers of Sweden and Switzto try to induce Dr. Karl Kramarz, Premier of Czecho-Slovakia, to aid the Viennese, especially with coal. few Americans here already have been requested to use their influence to protect the families of prominent personages when they are arrested, it being HINTS AT MUNITION TRAITORS. feared that Bolshevik methods will prevail.

ten representatives of the Soldiers and gatton of Ordnance Shipments. ENTENTE ATTITUDE DEFINED. No Peace Treaty Before German

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FOR GERMAN SHIPS

Inferiority of Marine Due to

War Aid Cited.

Paris, Dec. 10 .- First consideration

should be given to France in the dis-

tribution of the German commercial

fleet the Echo de Paris contends. It

comments on the sad state of the

French merchant marine the dis-

parity between the French selaures of

enemy shipping and 'hose of the other

allies, and the interiority of France

as regards shipping construction,

brought about by the military neces-sities of the Allies, of which a large

share in supplying was assumed by

The newspaper argues the necessity

of placing among the peace conditions

a stipulation for the delivery of a

sufficient number of German steamers

to permit France immediately to re-

The Echo de Paris recalls that Herr

Ballin, the German shipping magnate,

not long before his death, advanced

to turn over her mercantile fleet in

supplying the demands of the Allies

and that she preferably should work

to reconstruct the mercantile fleets of

UHLANS ROUT WORK GROUP.

members of the Soldiers and Work-

ers group attempted to disarm a

sisted and fired upon them with me

chine guns, whereupon the soldiers

and worker fled. Many of them were

then ordered out an infantry detach-ment against the Uhlans, but the ir-

fantrymen were disarmed by the Uhlans. The number of killed as

The Soldiers and Workers Council

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 10 .- At Chemnitz

steamers to France to give

rightful place in sea traffic

seized and beaten:

wounded is not known.

the view that Germany should refuse

gain her normal traffic facilities.

French industries.

the Entente.

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conclude a preliminary peace treaty with Germany before the meeting of FRANCE MAKES PLEA German national assembly.

PRINCE MAX WHINES ABOUT 'OPPRESSION' Germans Try to Palm Off

Worn Out Cars on French. AMSTERDAM, Dec. 10 .- Prince Maxinilian of Baden, formerly Imperial Jerman Chancellor, has issued a statement in which he refers to "the unheard of oppression which the enmy's lust for revenge and fever of victory has inflicted upon our fatherland," according to a Berlin news agency telegram to the Dutch newspapers. "By the imposition of humiliating armistice conditions," the exhancellor declares, "Germany's enemles are menacing the foundations of

our national life." Prince Maximilian further urges hat President Wilson bear in mind 'his given word" regarding a just peace and a league of nations.

Panis, Dec. 10 .- Reports from Saurebruck, Rhenish Prussia, indicate that the delivery of German railway material is being carried out very slowly but without open objection by the Germans. They tried at first to pass off worn out French railway cars, but the This, the newspaper contends should commission which was receiving the not be allowed, and there should be material was strict in its examinations exacted the delivery of sufficient

nd accepted only two or three cars out The French authorities are all the more severe in this connection, as it is! mans during the war had built quantities of cars which they held in prepato follow up the expected German vic- Uhlan regiment. The soldiers re-

### SAYS HINDENBURG **OUSTED HOLLWEG**

Socialist Minister Declared Chancellor Favored Peace. COPENHAGEN, Dec. 10 .- At a demon tration before the Bismarck monu-

ment in Berlin Sunday Minister Lein

who, after Mayor Weisskerchner had still in the hands of Von Hindenburg. "It is incredible that the military is who is a great reactionary. I am in possession of a letter from Von denburg which makes it apparent that he overthrew Von Bethmann-Hollweg erland were delegated to go to Prague because the latter was inclined to reforms and not strong enough to stick

up for a peace of victory."

The German Majority Socialists held thirteen meetings in Berlin on Sunday. They were addressed by the principal leaders. The Independent Socialists held three open air meetings, while D. Liebknecht, the Radical leader, spoke at a Spartacus meeting of 3,000 persons at Treptow Park. There were no disturbances anywhere.

Bay State Hunters Kill 774 Deer. Boston, Dec. 10 .- Hunters killed 774 ageszeitung of Berlin, a copy of oper in this State during the six day who said had "haif a dozen which has been received here, says open season last week, according to

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